

ALBERT WEIHE ELECTED AS TRUSTEE OF WEIHE ESTATE.

His Name Is Decided Upon Among the Heirs by Charles and Henry Weihe, Surviving Members.

CONDITIONS OF THE TRUST

Henry Weihe Turned Over Seven Pieces of Property, Proceeds to Be Divided Equally Every Three Months Among Six—Other Provisions.

Albert Weihe of Butler has been elected by the surviving trustees of the Weihe trust to succeed the late William Weihe as a trustee. The notice of this appointment was filed in Uniontown yesterday with the deed of trust that was recorded there at the time of its formation in 1901. This trust regulates the Weihe estate under certain terms and provisions.

It was on April 1, 1904, that William Weihe turned over to the trust, composed of William Weihe and his two sons, Charles and Henry, seven pieces of property in exchange for \$1 and other valuable considerations. The parties of the second part turned over to the trust 297 shares of stock in the Monongahela Water Company, 30 shares of Shigo Iron & Steel Company and 30 shares of Pittsburgh Safe Company.

The seven pieces of property turned over to the trust were as follows: Part No. 1, part of lot 102 on Main street, with a frontage of 33 feet on that thoroughfare and 115 feet along Pittsburgh street; No. 2, the southwest corner of the same lot on Main or Spring street; No. 3, the property at the corner of Pittsburgh street and Church place; No. 4, part of the same lot sold to William Weihe by S. H. Dushman; No. 5, the property at the corner of Johnston avenue and Fayette street; No. 6, the property at the corner of Pittsburgh street and Francis avenue; No. 7, the property on Francis avenue formerly owned by Samuel Weissman.

The trustees are required to keep in repair all the property under their control and to collect the rents and interest. They are to create a fund for the benefit of the estate not to exceed 5 per cent of the monthly income. This fund is never to exceed \$10,000.

The proceeds are to be distributed every three months equally among the following: William, Charles, Henry, Louis and Albert Weihe and Dorothea Weihe Hermann. In event of the death of William Weihe, the balance is to be divided equally among his heirs.

Upon the death of a trustee, the remaining members are to appoint another one. This trust is to be continued for three years after the death of William Weihe and can be renewed for another period of three years or dissolved, as the trustees may desire. Before the death of William Weihe note of the property can be sold but after his death it can be sold with the consent of the majority of the trustees. The deed of trust was recorded August 3, 1901.

William Weihe died last Friday and his successor has been appointed on the board of trustees. The trust will continue for three years before the estate can be closed finally and may be continued for another three years.

SOCIAL MEETINGS

Of the Odd Fellows being arranged for winter work. Committees from the Odd Fellows and General Worth Lodges and the Daughters of Rebekah met last evening and discussed plans for a series of social meetings to be held during the winter.

An entertainment committee was appointed and it is probable that the first meeting will not be held before the latter part of January. The committee will meet again tomorrow evening at the home of Miss Jennie Holt on North Pittsburgh street.

Storm Damage Reports Come In, Wires Down in All Directions.

Sleety, slippery sidewalks were the rule last night and this morning as the result of a cold wave which followed the storm of Monday. Last evening snow flurries fell, and for a time there was a regular snow storm in progress. There was a sprinkling of rain, too, which caused the snow to melt almost as rapidly as it fell. During the night it froze.

Division Superintendent C. I. Cullen of the West Penn Electric Company stated this morning that the storm did more damage than had ever been done since he became connected with the company. The two are light circuits broke in eight places and the trouble crew was out all night and until early Tuesday morning. There were two breaks in the circuit Monday afternoon and then two more at

REDSTONE PRESBYTERY.

Midwinter Session Held on Tuesday at Uniontown.

UNIONTOWN, Dec. 15.—The midwinter session of the Redstone Presbytery was held here yesterday in the Second Presbyterian Church. Moderator J. B. Reed presided. The Rev. J. L. McFall of Quebec, Canada, was called to the chair. The Rev. Dr. Moritz was received in the Presbytery from Butler Presbytery and accepted a call to the Hungarian Presbyterian Church in Uniontown. Most of the session was devoted to discussion of mission work in the entire region.

EAGLE ELECTION

SPIRITED AFFAIR

Charles Trump Chosen President of the Local Lodge—Social Session Thursday Evening.

Many candidates and spirited contest took place at the annual election of the Connellville Aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles last night. Charles Trump, for worthy president, won out with votes to spare. The following other officers were elected: Worthy President, Samuel T. Goodwin; Chaplain, Ira Brooks; Secretary, E. P. Kessler; Treasurer, Charles Tridell; Inside Guard, T. T. Shumaker; Outside Guard, W. H. Lowe; and Physician, A. J. Colburn. The meeting was largely attended and great interest was taken in it by all the members. The retiring officers Committee has arranged for a social session for Thursday evening and it is expected that it will be one of the best of the year among the local Eagles.

LEOPOLD'S CONDITION

IS STILL CRITICAL

Another Operation Will Be Needed, Because of Paralysis of the Intestines—People Scoff.

UNIONTOWN, Dec. 15.—While King Leopold continued improvement yesterday it is semi-officially stated that the improvement is only temporary and the doctors feared recurrence of the intestinal paralysis which will eventually necessitate another operation.

Appeals to the Prince of Liege for a reconciliation with his former enemies have been unanswered. Ex-Crown Princess Stephanie is expected today. The people seem at the outset of the King's recovery. The condition of King Leopold took a turn for the worse early this afternoon. The physicians are in consultation.

OLD ENGINES HERE.

In H. & O. Yards on Way to the Mt. Chase Shops. Two old engines are in the Baltimore & Ohio yards, being on their way to the Mount Chase shops for repairs. They are an antiquated type and are little seen in this section since larger engines have been introduced. One was No. 102, an old passenger engine and the other No. 173, which is about the size of a modern engine. Both engines were partially dismantled.

TEACHERS' TRAINING CLASS

Held an interesting meeting in the Christian Church. A well attended meeting of the Teachers' Training Class of the Christian Church was held last evening in the lecture room of the church. The regular session was discussed and at the conclusion a committee from the Men's Bible Class met and arranged for a supper to be held in the church for the members of the class on New Year's eve.

Best House Roof Blown Off.

The mountain storm on Sunday night blew the roof off the post house of the Connellville Board of Health.

CONVICTION IN FAMOUS SPEICHER LIBEL CASE.

Lawrence F. Greene Found Guilty in Court at Oakland, Md., This Morning—Senator Speicher Announces He Will Bring Suit Against M. E. Frazee for \$20,000 Damages.

tion. Lawrence F. Greene, former member of the Maryland Legislature from Garrett county, Md., was found guilty of libel at Oakland, Md., this morning and sentenced to 30 days in jail together with a fine of \$25 and costs. The prosecutor in the case, which has attracted wide attention in Maryland and on the border line of Pennsylvania is State Senator H. J. Speicher.

The suit grew out of a libelous circular sent out against Senator Speicher

or last August during the campaign for that office in Garrett county. The circular attacked the character of Senator Speicher, in violent terms accusing him of most everything on the calendar. Greene was the opposition candidate against Senator Speicher.

Senator Speicher won out at the nomination and election. Following his election Greene, his opponent, and M. E. Frazee, a local estate agent of Connellville and former resident of Friendsville, Md., were sued for libel

by Senator Speicher. Before a Friendsville justice of the peace, Frazee was fined \$50 for his connection with the libelous circular. The defense of Greene at the trial closed today was that Frazee was responsible for the circular. Frazee at the hearing of his case before the Friendsville justice made the same defense on his side.

Senator Speicher announced this morning that he would at once enter suit against Frazee for \$20,000.

COUNT ON RAMPAGE WITH A BIG GUN

Shoots An Actress and Scene Painter, Both of Whom May Die From Wounds.

United Press Telegram.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Mrs. Lizzie Shapiro, an actress at the People's theatre, was seriously and perhaps fatally wounded this morning and Max Goldberg, a scene painter, was fatally shot by Jacob Glatsky. The police say the latter is a Russian count. Glatsky was infatuated with Mrs. Shapiro and has been following her about. This morning he waited at the door of her apartments and as she came out, accompanied by Goldberg, the count opened up on them with a revolver. Goldberg attempted to shield the actress and received a bullet in the breast. Glatsky was placed under arrest.

LARGE SCHEDULE BOARD.

West Penn Will Make New Arrangement at Uniontown.

Superintendent J. W. Brown of the West Penn is making plans for erecting a large schedule board on the wall in front of the West Penn waiting room. The board will show the time of departure of all cars leaving Uniontown and will be posted. This will be a great convenience to passengers as they will be able to secure this information without coming outside the waiting room. This will be an especial convenience when the waiting room is crowded.

ROCKWELL PERIA COMPANY.

Rockwell MacArthur and Clair Sullivan Become the Owners.

Rockwell MacArthur and Clair Sullivan, who are making a deal for the property of the Rockwell Peria Company. The property consists of 10 acres of Pittsburgh coal, 10 acres of sawtimber and 18 acres of surface and a number of tenement houses. There were 20 owners at the plant, which are now in bad repair, being left in a number of years. The consideration was \$25,000.

BRINGING BACK THE KING

Subject of Sermon at United Presbyterian Church. "Bringing Back the King" will be the subject of the sermon at the United Presbyterian Church this evening. There was a large audience present last night and the services were decidedly helpful to all. Tomorrow night the regular choir will be assisted by the children's choir, which is well known to the service. Young people are specially invited to attend this service. No collections are taken at these services. Everybody welcome.

INVESTIGATE WRECK.

Coroner Hootley Not Satisfied With Explanation of the Collision. A right investigation is to be made into the wreck of the Chicago-Houston special and the Twentieth Century Limited by Coroner Hootley, who makes it his duty to get to the bottom of the explanation of the railroad accidents. He has been subpoenaed for the employees and officials. Seven seriously injured passengers are now out of danger. The dead are being held here.

ZELAYA OFFERS TO RESIGN

In Favor of Man People of Nicaragua. WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—(Special.)—As an aftermath of the closing in Nicaragua President Zelaya today made public a statement offering to resign in favor of Jose Matias, Nicaraguan representative to the Central American Peace Court, according to dispatches received here today. The dispatch also said Matias is not wanted by the people.

Will Play Fayette City.

The Intermediate basketball team of the Y. M. C. A. will play the Fayette City five, champions of the Monongahela Valley, Saturday evening at 8 o'clock in the gym. The Intermediate won 21 games last season and five so far this season.

BOY HURT COASTING.

Painful Accident, Results Seven Year Old Boy's Death.

MEYERSDALE, Dec. 15.—(Special.)—George, the seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shugart, was severely injured at noon yesterday while coasting on the beachy street hill. While descending the hill he slipped and became unmanageable, running into the curb, the hot radiating, among other injuries, a broken collar bone and an ugly scalp wound.

The child was removed to his home and Dr. E. F. Hemminger bandaged the fractured bone and dressed the scalp wound, and the little sufferer is now resting as easily as can be expected under the circumstances.

FALLEN TIMBERS CHURCH CLEARS TITLE TO LAND.

It Was Sold Contrary to Provisions of Will and Title Was Clouded.

UNIONTOWN, Dec. 15.—The trustees of the Fallen Timbers Methodist church of Springfield township have executed a quit claim in favor of Thomas Houser for 11 acres of land in Springfield. This was necessary in order to clear the title to the property.

It was in 1904 that Aubrey J. Bowditch and left to his wife his entire estate for her use during life. This included the 11 acres mentioned above. Upon her death the property was to revert to the Fallen Timbers church. Mrs. Bowditch died in 1907 and her estate was valued at \$12,000, but Houser was later advised that the title was under a cloud. By a vote of 21 to 2 the congregation voted to execute a quit claim to the property. Houser is a member of the church. The court is asked to approve the action.

In the suit of H. A. Hamilton against S. B. Wooten, a judgment was entered for the plaintiff. The judgment was for \$221 against the plaintiff.

WORK ON EXPANSION

of Indian Creek Valley Railroad Progressing in Good Shape.

INDIAN HEAD, Dec. 15.—(Special.)—Work on the extension of the Indian Creek Valley railroad is progressing in fine shape. At present there are about 250 men employed on the construction work. The work has advanced to the point where the new extension will be laid on the new extension road for the next six miles.

CHASING THE DECK.

Has Become a Favorite Pastime in Newmarket.

NORMALVILLE, Dec. 15.—(Special.)—A favorite pastime the last few days in this vicinity has been chasing the deck over the lee of the reservoir. For some reason the ducks do not take to the wing for long flights and can be run down. The flocks and flocks of ducks each captured a fine duck on Saturday.

NEW AUTO COMPANY

For Sale of Machines, Lunched in Newmarket.

MEYERSDALE, Dec. 15.—(Special.)—A new automobile enterprise known as the Newmarket Motor Company, has been launched, and A. H. Hord is the manager. The company will represent the best of the automobile industry in this town.

ROW COSTS MONEY.

Johnson Pays \$25.00 Fines for Grudge They Took.

As the result of a row in Grange after yesterday, Charles and Rosie Johnson were fined before Judge Johnson last evening on charges of disorderly conduct. The evidence was presented by the Grange. The fine was \$25.00 on each and it was paid.

Munk Hark at School.

Rudolph Munk, the West Virginia University football player injured in the game Thanksgiving Day has returned to school. He insisted upon attending the closing sessions there today, when school ends for the holidays.

Snow Flurries Tonight.

Snow flurries tonight, Thursday generally fair, in the noon weather forecast.

St. Paul Train Wrecked.

DENVER, Dec. 15.—(Special.)—A Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul train was wrecked near Denver this morning. Several persons were injured. Engineer Seever is missing.

TWENTY KILLED IN WRECK ON SOUTHERN WHEN FAST TRAIN WENT OVER EMBANKMENT.

United Press Telegram.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Dec. 15.—Twenty persons are reported dead and as many more injured when train No. 11 of the Southern railway jumped from a 25-foot trestle into a creek near Greensboro while traveling at the rate of 70 miles an hour. The wreck is the most frightful in the history of Southern railroading. Several cars toppled into the creek below.

Survivors sought for life in the wrecked wreckage. The dead and injured are under three feet of water. George J. Gould and son Jay, of New York, were among the passengers but were uninjured, according to messages received here.

Relief trains bearing physicians were sent from Greensboro. Conductor George Cable crawled two miles to a telephone station, despite a broken leg, and from there word was sent

calling for relief. The engineer and fireman are among the dead.

The pilot of the engine struck the ground and the other car piled on top of the locomotive, driving it 20 feet underground. The wrecking crew is working to get the engine and the car out of the water and to dig up the dead. The bodies of the dead are being buried in the mud. Among the reported dead is A. P. Cone, Superintendent of the Richmond division of the Southern.

WESTERN MARYLAND SHOPS WILL BE LOCATED ON WEST SIDE.

Attorney and Big Stockholder in Road Makes Positive Statement of Construction Into Connellville.

TURNER FUNERAL.

It Will Be Held From Home of Daughter on Thursday.

The body of John H. Turner arrived here yesterday afternoon from Mt. Pleasant and was taken charge of by Funeral Director C. C. Mitchell who prepared the remains for burial. The body was later taken to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Myrtle A. Boyd, on South Elkhart street, West Side.

Funeral services from the Boyd residence Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment in Chestnut Hill Cemetery. Mr. Turner was 62 years of age.

CARMENT WORKERS ON STRIKE IN BALTIMORE

Nearly Three Thousand Walk Out Today and Tieup Is Fully Expected.

United Press Telegram.

BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 15.—Nearly two thousand garment workers, representing the three largest houses in the city, are on strike today. Labor leaders from New York are expected to come to manage the strike. Samuel Gompers has been announced to speak at a meeting Sunday afternoon. It was impossible to get a statement of the exact situation from the mill officials today. The break is not serious and no one was injured when it occurred. Work at the mill will be somewhat delayed.

STEAM LINE BURSTS AT HUMBERT; MILL DOWN.

Slight Accident Yesterday Afternoon May Cause Delay of Day or Two.

The bursting of a steam pipe at the Humbert mill yesterday put the works out of commission. It may be a day or two before the break is repaired and the mill can resume. It was impossible to get a statement of the exact situation from the mill officials today. The break is not serious and no one was injured when it occurred. Work at the mill will be somewhat delayed.

RIGHT HAND SEVERED

Fore Arm Mashed Suffered by Robert Ziller, B. & O. Man.

Robert Ziller, crossman, on the B. & O. wrecking crane, and well known in Connellville, had his right hand severed at the wrist at 12 o'clock yesterday morning in the mill yard at Humbert. The position had been advised by the mill officials. The break is not serious and no one was injured when it occurred. Work at the mill will be somewhat delayed.

NEW MEMBERS INITIATED

At Special Meeting of Ladies of the Maccabees.

A special meeting of the Ladies of the Maccabees was held yesterday evening at the home of Mrs. J. S. Eiland on Crawford avenue. Two new members, Mrs. Joseph Watson and Mrs. Martin Eiland, were initiated. A special meeting will be held at the home next Thursday evening, December 23, at the home of Mrs. Eiland.

JOINT MEETING.

Of the Two High School Literary Societies on Friday.

The Connellville and Pitts Literary Societies of the High School will meet jointly Friday afternoon in the Armory. A special program consisting of literary readings will be rendered and a committee from the senior class has been appointed to arrange for a Christmas tree.

Purchase in Pittsburgh.

C. A. Parbaugh of the accounting department of the West Penn is in Pittsburgh today supervising the arrangement of new forms to be used in the new addition machine recently installed in the office here.

Tenth Regiment May Be Split Under Dick Bill Provisions.

At the present time there is much speculation concerning the reorganization of the National Guard of Pennsylvania, which by virtue of the Dick bill passed in 1905, must be completed by the latter part of January, 1910. There will be many changes in the Guard and the Second Brigade will lose one regiment. For several years it has puzzled the most advanced statisticians as to what the change will be, but as yet nothing definite is known. Several theories have been advanced, one of which is that the second battalion of the Tenth regiment, consisting of Company A, Monongahela, R. many others. The Eighteenth and New Brighton, H. Washington, and K. Sixteenth regiments are at present in Westmoreland, will be transferred to the Fourth regiment, with headquarters in Pittsburgh, making that a full company regiment, while the other battalion of the Tenth I, Greensburg, C. Uniontown, D. Connellville, and E. Mount Pleasant will be consolidated with the eight companies of the Fifth regiment and called the Tenth, under Col. Richard Conner. This is one theory, while another is that the Tenth will be left as it is and the four companies of the Fifth, while the other four companies go to the Fourteenth. This is only a matter of conjecture and the official announcement of the change is awaited with interest by all military men and many others. The Eighteenth and New Brighton, H. Washington, and K. Sixteenth regiments are at present in Westmoreland, will be transferred to the Fourth regiment, with headquarters in Pittsburgh, making that a full company regiment, while the other battalion of the Tenth I, Greensburg, C. Uniontown, D. Connellville, and E. Mount Pleasant will be consolidated with the eight companies of the Fifth regiment and called the Tenth, under Col. Richard Conner. This is one theory, while another is that the Tenth will be left as it is and the four companies of the Fifth, while the other four companies go to the Fourteenth. This is only a matter of conjecture and the official announcement of the change is awaited with interest by all military men and many others. The Eighteenth and New Brighton, H. Washington, and K. Sixteenth regiments are at present in Westmoreland, will be transferred to the Fourth regiment, with headquarters in Pittsburgh, making that a full company regiment, while the other battalion of the Tenth I, Greensburg, C. Uniontown, D. Connellville, and E. Mount Pleasant will be consolidated with the eight companies of the Fifth regiment and called the Tenth, under Col. Richard Conner.

CONTRACTS SOON TO BE LET

Says If Trackage Arrangements Can Not Be Made With Lake Erie Money Is Assured For Building Direct Into Pittsburg.

Special to The Courier.

OAKLAND, Md., Dec. 15.—The Western Maryland railroad extension is to be built from Cumberland to the West Side, Connellville, just as soon as contracts for the construction can be let. Shops of the company and a terminal are to be located on the West Side. The money has been subscribed, \$12,000,000 to start with for the construction of the road from Cumberland to Connellville and \$25,000,000 if it is necessary for the Western Maryland to build from Connellville to Pittsburg, in case traffic and trackage arrangements are not made with the Pittsburg & Lake Erie company. Those statements were made this morning by A. A. Dolb, an attorney and large stockholder in the Western Maryland. He said: "You can say absolutely that the Western Maryland will be built from Cumberland to Connellville and thence to Pittsburg either over the Lake Erie tracks or over its own rails. The name of the company will likely be changed. That is, the road between Cumberland and Pittsburg will be operated under another name than that of the Western Maryland. All the money necessary for our invasion of the Pittsburgh district has been subscribed and is ready for immediate use. The Rockefeller interests are behind this latest railroad promotion in Western Pennsylvania.

"All details for letting of the contracts for construction are being closed up now. Work is to be started just as soon as possible. The construction will be well under way the coming summer. Shops and terminal facilities will be located at Connellville, in New Haven or the West Side, as it is called now. You can make it as positive as you please that the plans of the Western Maryland are not tentative. There will be no hitch or delay. The Pittsburg district offers a great field for another outlet to the seaboard. The railroads at no time have been able to handle freight tonnage arising and passing through Pittsburg in an adequate and prompt manner. There is plenty of room for another railroad. We have assurances that it will be welcomed.

"No trouble is anticipated in arranging with the Lake Erie for truck privileges between Connellville and Pittsburg, but if the Western Maryland has to, its own line will be built at once direct into the Smoky City."

GUTTER SELLS.

D. E. Reynolds Secures 102 Acres of Freeman Farm Near Morrell. John A. Gutter this morning sold 102 acres of land from the Freeman farm at Morrell to D. E. Reynolds. Mr. Reynolds purchased the acreage in order to straighten his boundary line. Mr. Gutter received the cash. Reynolds has tried for a number of years to secure this property and succeeded when the deal was closed this morning.

SHOOT AT GREENSBORO

Will Be Attended by Delegation of Company D Boys.

A delegation from Company D, Tenth Regiment, N. C. T. P., including Captain Harry Dunn, will go to Greensburg Friday evening to participate in the third of a series of rifle shoots between the local company, the Greensburg, Mt. Pleasant and Uniontown companies.

Want Indian Creek Water.

At a mass meeting of citizens of Greensburg Monday night a report of the feasibility of securing a permanent water supply from the Indian Creek watershed was endorsed.

BILL FOR THE YOUGH INTRODUCED BY DALZELL

Improvement at Present Only Between McKeesport and West Newton.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Representative John Dalzell yesterday introduced a bill providing for the improvement of the Youghiogheny river from McKeesport to West Newton. It stipulated that the river shall be made navigable by the building of locks and dams. It was referred to the Committee on Rivers and Harbors, with the hope of having it incorporated in the river and harbor bill. Mr. Dalzell stated that he would use every endeavor to have provision made this session for starting the improvement of the Youghiogheny. He said:

At least three times the Youghiogheny river has been recommended for improvement by the army engineers and it is now time that a start should be made by the Government. It is understood that there is to be a river and harbor bill this winter and I shall do all I can to have some provision made in it for the Youghiogheny. The people of McKeesport and other towns along the river are very much interested in their advocacy of this project and they are entitled to consideration. Congressman Cooper of Uniontown is also very much interested because the people of Connellsville hope that eventually the improvement of the river will be extended to that place. He will cooperate with Mr. Dalzell. Congressman Cooper has introduced a bill appropriating \$100,000 for a Federal building at Somerset.

CENTRALS SWEEP CLEAN.

Take Three Games in Succession From Casino Quintet.

The Centrals bowlers defeated the Casino quintet in three straight games on the Central alleys last night. Good scores were rolled in all three games by both teams. The best game was the second, when the Centrals rolled 251. Hamilton was high game with 211. The scores:

	Centrals	Casino
Hamilton	150 211 191 353	
Moore	142 105 105 353	
Teeter	164 175 104 343	
Quinn	170 120 120 410	
DeForest	156 172 151 479	
Totals	806 905 858 2559	
Flannery	161 170 171 502	
Williams	122 150 170 442	
Kneale	165 157 151 473	
Schmidt	170 170 157 497	
Fretts	155 171 160 486	
Totals	775 825 795 2395	

THE WOLF COMES TO COLONIAL THEATRE

Melodrama by Eugene Walter Will Presented by a Capable Company.

"The Wolf" will make its second appearance in Connellsville tonight, continuing to the Colonial Theatre. The advance sale indicates that a large house will witness the production. "The Wolf" is a highly artistic melodrama written by Eugene Walter, author of "Paid in Full" and other dramatic successes which have placed his name on the honor roll of playwrights during the past two years. Upon its initial presentation here last season "The Wolf" made a decided hit.

MISS HERMAN DEAD.

She Had Long Been Ill at Her Dunbar Home.

DUNBAR, Dec. 15.—Miss Rose Herman, aged 15, died last evening at her home here following a long illness from pneumonia. She was the daughter of the late Fred and Mary Herman. She is survived by her mother and five brothers and sisters: Julius, William, Martha, Albert and Arthur Herman. The funeral will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home, Rev. D. E. Mined officiating. Interment will be made in Mt. Auburn Cemetery.

Teachers Paid Salaries.
The Connellsville Township School Board met last night and paid the teachers and janitors their salaries for the month of December. School will close Friday afternoon of this week for a two weeks' Christmas vacation.

To Run Special Cars.
The West Penn Railways will run a special car this week for the teachers, leaving at 8 o'clock in the morning and returning, leaving Uniontown at 4:30 P. M.

Barb Blown Down.
The barn of James Greenleaf near Woodbridge, was blown down by the storm on Monday. Hay stacks and fence were also strewn in all directions in that vicinity.

For the Ladies.
One-fourth off on all trimmed hats at McFarland's.

SOCIAL.

Ladies' Aid Social.
The Ladies' Aid Society of the United Brethren Church will hold a social Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Langhrey on South Pittsburgh street. Supper will be served for 25 cents and all attendance is promised a most enjoyable evening.

C. K. Society to Meet.
The Christian Endeavor Society of the Methodist Protestant Church will meet Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. S. T. Benton on Johnston avenue.

Aid Society to Meet.
The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church will be held tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. A. Clarke on West Fayette street. A large attendance is desired.

PERSONAL.

When you want anything advertise for it in our want column.
Robert "Bite and J. R. Davidson, Jr. of W. & J. College at Washington, Pa.

Roger Evans and Charles Coell of State College; Misses Fidelity Kethum and Emma Hoffman of the California State Normal Miss Eble Wells of Pennsylvania College of Women, Pittsburgh; Henry Porter of the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, and Leo Morris of the West Virginia University, Morgantown, will arrive here tomorrow morning and will arrive home the latter part of the week for the Christmas holidays.

Beautiful hand-made Christmas presents at the Luthuran bazaar, Thursday and Friday evenings. Hours of sale 2 to 9 P. M.
"Captain" W. J. Greenburg was in town yesterday making arrangements for the accommodation of the officers of the Greenburg company who expect to attend the second annual military ball of Company D, 2nd Regiment, N. G. P. to be held on New Year's eve in the Armory.

Attorney E. C. Hagbee went to Washington, Pa. today where he will conduct a case before the courts in that county.

Watts Elephant Hour, the rich man's home at the Luthuran bazaar, Thursday and Friday evenings, and Hixon & Lytle, West Side.

Miss Margaret Duhamel of Dunbar was in town yesterday. She is a visitor at the home of Mr. J. L. Cochrane of Star Junction, a Connellsville visitor yesterday.

Mrs. J. M. Held is in Pittsburgh today. Mrs. H. M. Kephart and Mrs. C. D. Swingle are shopping in Pittsburgh today.

Mrs. Ella Hyatt Parison would be pleased to have you call at her studio and inspect her line of hand-painted china and water colors. Room 303, First National Bank.

Mrs. James Stanner and daughter, Miss Nellie, of Dawson were in town this morning.

From tops of all descriptions at the lowest prices for 35 cents. Go to the Luthuran chapel on East Peach street, Thursday and Friday evenings.

Miss Blanche Buttermore of Greensburg is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Buttermore of the West Side.

Mrs. Robert Augstine of Somerset has returned home after a few days' visit here.

Mrs. John Junk and daughter of Hatfield were Connellsville visitors yesterday.

Do you want a fine chicken and southern supper for 35 cents? Go to the Luthuran chapel on East Peach street, Thursday and Friday evenings.

Miss Blanche Buttermore of Greensburg is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Buttermore of the West Side.

Mrs. Charles Watson went to Confluence yesterday afternoon to visit relatives.

The best places at lowest prices, to buy go-carts, auto-bikes, baby carriages, sleds, velocipedes and express wagons, is at Artman's—Santa Claus' store.

Mrs. L. S. Kemon of Dunbar was in town shopping yesterday.

Contractor S. J. Harry was in Pittsburgh yesterday on business.

Mrs. W. B. Moore was in Uniontown yesterday on business.

Miss Gertrude Turner of Uniontown, was called here by the death of her father, John H. Turner.

Misses Mabel and Nellie Roschard of Dawson, were in town this afternoon on their way to Uniontown to visit friends.

Attorney S. R. Goldsmith is in Uniontown today on business.

Go to Artman's store for anything for Christmas presents.

Mrs. Katharine Porter and granddaughter, Katherine Talty, will arrive home tomorrow from a two weeks' visit with relatives in Philadelphia.

Miss Martha McFarland of Vanderbilt, was in town last evening.

Mrs. S. J. L. Morningstar and sister, Miss Harriet Hinson, were in town yesterday on a little shopping trip.

The big rush of the holiday season has not materially affected the beautiful display of dolls at Artman's store. Still plenty to pick from. Don't delay any longer.

Mrs. George McGill of Dawson, is the guest of friends in town today.

Mrs. Ira Jaynes of the West Side, was the guest of relatives at Dunbar yesterday afternoon.

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HAMBURGER BROS. & CO. CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

DEATHS.

Mrs. Mary McKinnon, aged 77 years, of Thompson, Pa., died yesterday morning at 8:30 o'clock at the home of her nephew, Frederick Hays, on South Prospect street as the result of a very severe cold which she contracted several days ago. Mrs. McKinnon enjoyed fairly good health up until last Saturday night when she was taken suddenly ill with a severe pain in her side. She died peacefully at her home.

Frederick Hays will accompany the remains tomorrow to the home of Mrs. McKinnon at Thompson, Pa., where interment will be made. Services will be held at the home on South Prospect street this evening at 8:30 o'clock. Rev. Wolf officiating.

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MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL

BEAUTIFUL LEATHER CUSHIONS, CENTER-PIECES AND COVERS FOR LIBRARY TABLES. Leather Centerpieces with beautiful raised flowers at 50c, 75c, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$2.75.

Leather Cushions with fringe of same and with B. P. O. E. and an Elk head others with Indian Heads and flowers, \$4.50, \$5.50 and \$6.50.

Leather Covers for library tables with horse head, flowers, bucking broncho, Indian chief and Indian girl, all at \$5.50.

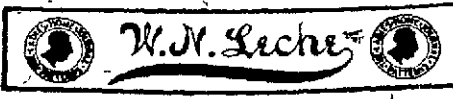
These are the very latest. Don't fail to see them. See our window.

Beautiful Line of Fancy Pin Cushions, in pink, blue, yellow, green and red, in all sizes and prices, 10c, 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$2.25.

We are showing an excellent line of Toilet Sets with either china backs or Sterling silver back, in 2, 5 and 12 piece sets, at \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$5.00, \$6.50, \$7.75, \$10.00, \$12.50 and \$16.50.

Beautiful Silk Receivers for Neckwear, Gloves, Vests, etc., in pink, white and blue, at 50c and 75c.

Hair Pin Receivers in pink, white, red, blue, green and others, made of beautiful Persian ribbons at 25c and 50c.



STYLISH, distinctive overcoats; the kind the smart, aristocratic young men of today want—our store's full of them.

They're Hart Schaffner & Marx make; all-wool, and perfectly tailored; we can fit you. Priced \$15 to \$25.

This store is the home of Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothes.

NOT ONLY IN APPEARANCE but in all those qualities that BACK UP the outward signs, will you find that we excel in the stock we handle.

OUR FIRST REQUIREMENT in buying for your use, is that the looks shall EQUAL the quality, but not deceive about it. To all who get their SHOES here, we refer you, knowing that they will assure you that we live up to our advertising.

JOHN IRWIN, The Shoe Man.

TRY OUR WANT COLUMN—ONE CENT A WORD.

Open An Account With Us.

Secure all your Xmas gifts for your home and pay for them during 1910. NOTHING EASIER.

Call here any time, select what you need for the home and make a small deposit and have the balance charged.



To please a lady GIVE HER THIS DESK. \$6.50

This Beautiful DRESSING TABLE in Oak or Mahogany—highly polished \$10.50

UNION SUPPLY TREAT ON CHRISTMAS DAY

All of the Big Stores in the Coke Region Will Remember Frick Employees.

On Christmas morning the Union Supply Company will give their annual treat to the employees of the H. C. Frick Coke Company and their children, and their customers. The distribution will begin at nine o'clock and continue until everyone has received a gift. Those who are sick will be sent some delicacy. Already the managers of the 13 stores throughout the coke region are preparing for the event and it is by no means a small undertaking.

To give everyone a gift will mean the handling out of thousands of packages and tons of candy, nuts and oranges will be given away. This is a custom that the company has carried out for many years. Last Christmas they distributed between three and four tons of candy and other stuffs.

THE WIFE'S GIFT.

Easy Way For Hubby to Sidelap the Selection of a Present For His Spouse.

The average man likes to select Christmas gifts just about as much as the average woman likes to buy a fishing hook. That is to say, he doesn't like it at all. Fortunately, there is an easy way out for men folks as far as a Christmas gift for the wife is concerned. They can always give money—the most acceptable gift on earth to a woman—and a nice way to give money is in the form of a Bank Certificate of Deposit—or, better yet—a checking account, opened in the wife's name. Then, she can select her own gift—just what she wants—a thousand times better than hubby could do it for her. The First National Bank of Connelville will be glad to have you come to it for a Certificate of Deposit, or have you open a checking or savings account for any body you wish to remember in this way on Christmas.

UNIONTOWN AGAIN WINS.

But This Time It Is at Duckpins, Not Basketball.

Uniontown won again last night but it was at duckpins and not basketball. The Uniontown team of the Westmoreland Grocery Company visited the Temple alleys and rolled the Connelville team. The score below tells the tale. The locals won the first game but dropped the following two. The scores:

Uniontown.				
	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Wright	42	52	100	290
Hawthorn	44	55	98	297
Benson	43	70	74	287
Shapiro	50	87	101	298
Assenstorf	58	89	98	345
Totals	207	353	471	1231
Connelville.				
	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
W. Brickman	48	51	40	239
Snyder	74	49	77	200
Miller	40	74	73	227
Brickman	50	70	70	217
Koeller	61	82	98	241
Totals	233	326	358	917

Argument Court December 27.
Argument court has been fixed for Monday, December 27, at which time the list will be called.

CAUSES CONSUMPTION.

If you have catarrh, don't fool your self into the belief that it is a harmless disease.

At least one-half of the consumption in the world can be traced to catarrh.

Here are some symptoms of catarrh. If you have any of them get rid of them while there is yet time:
Is your throat raw?
Do you sneeze often?
Is your breath foul?
Are your eyes watery?
Do you talk cold easily?
Is your nose stopped up?
Do you have to spit often?
Do crines form in your nose?
Do you blow your nose a great deal?
Are you losing your sense of smell?
Does your mouth taste bad mornings?
Do you have to clear your throat on rising?
Do you have a discharge from the nose?
Does mucous drip in back of throat?
Hemmel is guaranteed to cure catarrh, sore throat, coughs, colds, croup and bronchitis or money back. Just breathe it in. Complete outfit, including hard rubber inhaler, \$1.00. Extra bottles 50 cents. Leading druggists everywhere sell Hemmel. A. A. Clarke guarantees it.

Drop a postal for our free book "Hemmel's Famous People." Hemmel's Hemmel Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

MI-ONA Cures indigestion

It relieves stomach misery, sour stomach, belching, and cures all stomach disorders or money back. Large box of tablets 50 cents. Druggists in all towns.

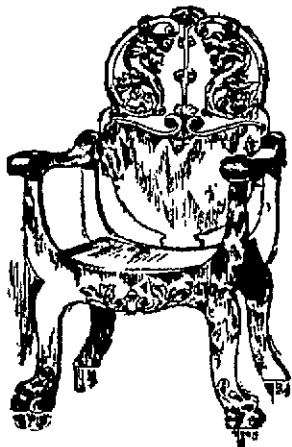
DR. BARNES, Specialist.

At Home, 214 Connelville.
All diseases successfully treated. Last Manhood restored. Weakness of Young Men. Urinary Affections. Catarrh and all Private Diseases cured. No Pain. Examination Free. Hours: 10 A. M. to 5 P. M. Saturdays and Sundays. On Thursdays open from 10 to 5 A. M.

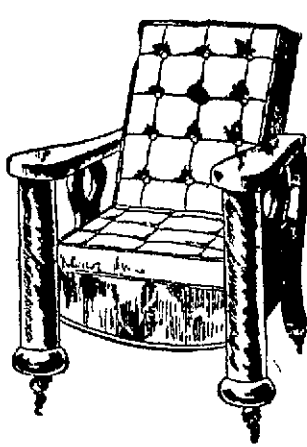
AARON'S

THESE ARE MIGHTY NICE XMAS GIFTS FOR MEN

Add to any man's comfort and you reach his heart! And nowadays there are many ways you can do this at very moderate cost. You'll find scores and scores of very acceptable gifts for men and young men in our assortments. Each is the very best of its kind. Morris Chairs are extremely popular gifts. They last for years and years, always giving comfort and ease. Then there are Shaving Stands, Bachelor Wardrobes, Sectional Bookcases, Cellarettes, Smoking Stands and numberless other articles not only serviceable but ornamental and handy. Select whatever you like and pay for it gradually or for cash, as you wish.



FOR GRANDFATHER.

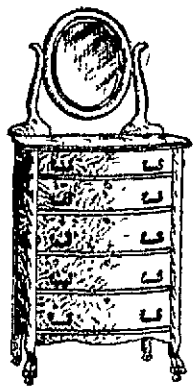


FOR FATHER OR HUSBAND.

Foot Stool,
Book Table,
High-back Chair,
Comfortable Arm Chair,
Genuine Leather Rocker.

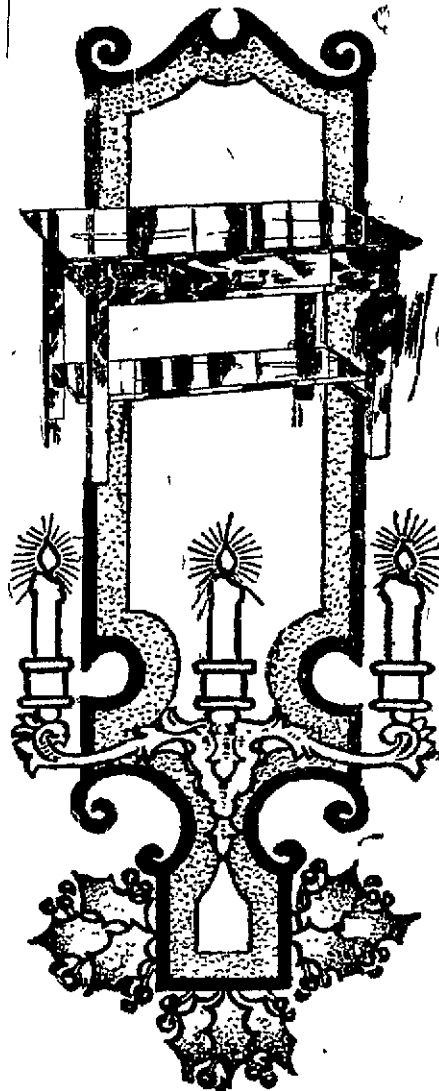
Morris Chair,
Shaving Stand,
Easy Chair,
Foot Stool,
Couch,
Bookcase,
Card Table,
Leather Rocker,
Wardrobe,
Revolving Chair,
Cellarette.

ALL GOODS
MARKED IN PLAIN
FIGURES.

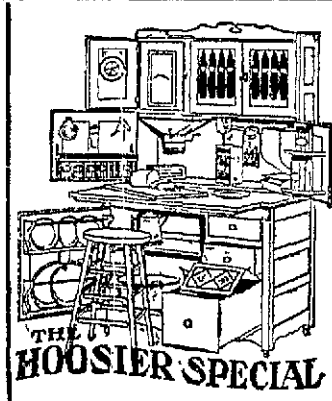


FOR BROTHER JACK.

Morris Chair,
Cellarette,
Pipe Rack,
Chiffonier,
Arm Chair,
Wardrobe,
Leather Rocker,
Shaving Stand,
Office Chair,
Card Table,
High-back Rocker.



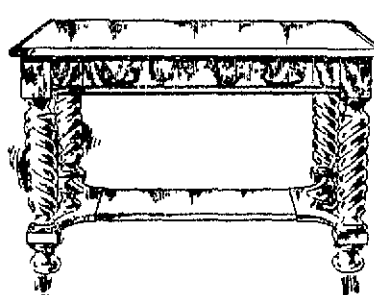
The Christmas Present
Your Wife Wants



THE HOOSIER SPECIAL

For the Best Girl in the World.

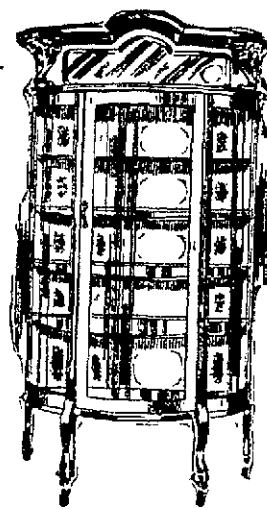
Bedroom Chair,
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Sewing Rocker,
Cheval Glass,
Dresser,
Pedestal,
Bookcase,
Divan,
Parlor Table.



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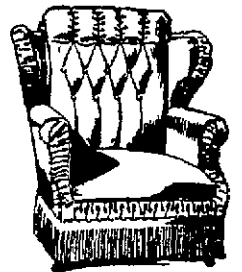
AND THESE WILL PLEASE THE LADIES AND MISSES

Whether you wish to spend as little as 25c or as much as \$200 or any price between the two, you'll find you get better values here than elsewhere. That's because the huge volume of our business permits us to take small profits on each article sold. You'll find furniture novelties here that will bring joy to the feminine heart, young, middle aged or elderly. Such things as Cheval Mirrors, Work Tables, Card Tables, Desk Chairs, China Cabinets, Music Cabinets, Kitchen Cabinets, Curtains, Rugs and so forth make delightful gifts, useful as well as sentimental and your credit is always as good as gold. Remember that.



FOR MOTHER OR WIFE.

Bedroom Chair,
Jardineer Stand,
Rocker,
China Closet,
Magazine Stand,
Table,
Davenport,
Dresser.



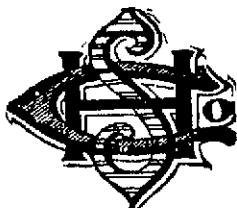
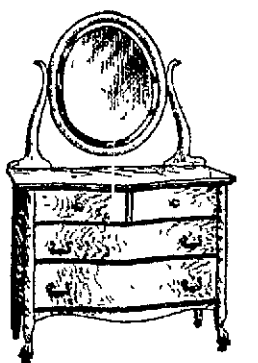
FOR GRANDMOTHER

Jardineer Stand,
Sewing Rocker,
Morris Chair,
Work Table,
Arm Chair,
Magazine Stand,
Leather Rocker.

GOODS BOUGHT
NOW WILL
BE DELIVERED WHEN
WANTED.

FOR SISTER.

Mahogany Work Table,
Dressing Table,
Slipper Chair,
Dressing Stool,
Bookcase,
Arm Chair,
House Desk,
Music Cabinet,
Box Couch,
Pretty Chair for her room,
Dresser.



Santa at Schells

There's no other place in Connelville where you'll find so many things for Xmas presents as at Schell's. Glance at the list below and see if you can't find "just what you are looking for." And this is not all. We could not name all the articles we have that would make up a complete gift. When you go Christmas shopping let Schell's be the first stop. You'll find it here.

Mr. Rides
Bass Wagon
Foot Bells
Sprinkling Hugs
Holler Skates
Sleds
Dog Collars
Sewing Sets
Hemmers
Curling Sets
Iron Ladles
Soap Ladders
Iron Trays
Crunch Trays
Machete Sets
Resolvets
Bass' Foot Chests
Gillett's Safety Razors
Pacchioni's Safety Razors
Richie's Percolators
Wood's Carpet Sweepers
Sticking Dags, 1 pound
Yarns, Free holders
Sut. Pins & Buckles
Shaving Brushes
Pocket Cutlery
Curling Dishes
Shaving Soap
Razor Straps
Toiletries
Boxing Gloves
Shoes
Toys

116 WEST MAIN STREET

We Have Done the Worrying for You

and now we are here with a new stock of the best selected merchandise suitable for Christmas gifts, as well as for your own good use, at prices that will astonish you how a little outlay of money will buy many useful Christmas gifts.

See our full page circular of our special Christmas Sale—it contains interesting news for the woman's and children's outfits. Its free to you by mail.

\$15.00 Black Lynx Set; full skin, long, silky, black jet hair; beautiful head in the back; usually sold at \$15.00, now	\$9.75
\$15.00 Ladies' Suits, satin lined, at	\$9.75
\$9.50 Long Black Coats; pleated all around, at	\$5.90
\$5.00 Black Silk Waists, 12 different styles, at	\$2.95
\$1.00 Silk Scarfs	69c
\$2.50 Children's Fur Suits at	\$1.49
\$5.00 Children's Coats, at	\$2.95

Hundreds of other useful gifts at similar low prices. All Millinery at clearance prices.

KOBACKER'S
THE WOMAN'S STORE

Opposite
First
National
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WEDNESDAY EVENING, DEC. 15, 1909.

The polished concrete sidewalks are a constant menace to the public safety at all seasons of the year but particularly so in the winter. Already one serious accident has happened in Connelville. The Town Council through its proper committee should compel owners of property with dangerous sidewalks of this character to rough them to reasonable safety. The Council has already considered the safety of horses by directing the brickwork of the iron covers on curbs in streets. The safety of the citizen and his family is certainly of greater consequence than that of his animals.

The advertisers have crowded the editors down to a fine point. The Santa Claus news is overwhelming. Our readers will find it on every page of the paper.

Redstone Presbytery will do some mission work in the coke region. There is plenty of room for it, especially in the Klondike.

The indeterminate sentence applies peculiarly to those acquitted of crime on the score of insanity, but the Fayette county idea is that the sentence shall terminate upon the decision of the asylum authorities having the care and treatment of the insane.

Captain Richmond Pearson Hobson, of ordnance fame, is seeing red again.

Old landlords are getting back into business since business is getting back to old conditions.

The improvements in aeroplanes show what inventive genius, especially American inventive genius, can do when it gets after a fly idea.

The telephone block system of directing the movement of traffic is no longer confined to trolley systems. It was too good to keep in one place.

Business in Greene county could hardly be brisker than ever. They are looking better to investors since the resumption of industrial activity.

Evidences of Christmas are numerous and the small boy can almost hear the thine of Santa Claus' sleigh bells.

"Figures won't lie" is an old adage; neither will the modern adding machine make a mistake. But men will lie and manipulators of adding machines sometimes press the wrong button. The best adding machine is a bookkeeper whose mind is on his job.

If the Yough doesn't get an appropriation it won't be because the Yough boomers haven't been right on the job.

Movers have three auto stores. The Hitts of Somerset will soon be alive with chrysomels and the air reverberant with the music of the honk-horns.

The number of drownings caused by breaking through thin ice while skating have been unusually large this season, and suggest the warning that boys cannot be too careful in testing thin ice.

The suppressed social endeavor is coming out from under cover.

Fayette county justice is becoming a Marathon runner; in fact, it is too swift for some people.

The resumption of the Humbert mill has put new life in the South Side trolley service.

The baseball managers are busy reforming the lines of battle for 1910. The Pavea league was very short on Anselm last season. It seems to us that they are the first consideration.

The tin plate mill seems to have put on too much steam when it made its first start.

The C. D.'s of the Mayor's Court are not coming C. O. D. at present. Neither are they prepared as a rule. They are commonly D. H. which is N. O. for the thorough Treasury.

Hardware is not a healthy diet for children.

The Farmers' Institutes of Fayette county prove that farmers are usually intelligent and not without ability as orators.

The Uniontown Herald takes about Connelville the last of the year. The Herald has no occasion to be jealous. The honors in this line have long ago been awarded. The Herald is it by unanimous consent.

The evangelistic meetings have closed and revival meetings have begun. Home talent will try to finish the work of Christianizing Connelville, and it will no doubt make more substantial progress than has been made in the whirlwind campaign just closed.

With the birth rate maintaining a lead of 100 per cent. over the death rate, Greater Connelville is inevitable.

The drought went out in a gale of wind.

Connellville wasn't in the dark when the lights went out. The electric signs and the brilliant window displays of the merchants did much to dispel the gloom.

Railroad files are seldom seriously wrecked save in Wall street.

The Lutheran training class for Sunday School teachers is practical Christianity.

The Tri-State trouble clerks worked overtime this week.

Editor Koffer labors through a couple of columns of text to say that we deny the right of labor to organize. We never did anything of the kind. Some prejudiced people do not seem to be at all particular what they say.

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WANTED—TWO GOOD MAIDS. Apply at once, HOTEL ROYAL. 14dec2d

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FOR RENT—HOUSE ON EAST GIBSON AVENUE. All conveniences. Inquire BELL PHONE 123-J. 14dec2d

FOR RENT—SIX-ROOM HOUSE, reception hall and bath; all modern conveniences. Inquire 410 EAST WASHINGTON AVENUE. 14dec2d

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FOR SALE—EVERYTHING FOUND in the average drug store and many things that are not. GRAHAM & CO. 14dec2d

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FOR SALE—ADVERTISEMENTS under this head. They are effective and cheap.

FOR SALE—ICE PLANT AT DUNBAR. A bargain. F. J. McFARLAND, Dunbar, Pa. 14dec2d

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FOR SALE—\$1,000 BUYS COZY brick house in South Connelville; convenient to trolley line, city water, natural gas, electric light; easy terms. Inquire at THE COURIER OFFICE.

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WHAT to give him for Christmas is a problem we solve many times a day. Our store being headquarters for Men's things, the question is very easily answered. For Men, both old and young, great and small, we've ideal gifts—just the sort of gifts that will be appreciated the most, after Christmas is over.

From our stock of Men's excellent Garments, correct Headwear and choice Haberdashery the most appropriate Christmas gifts, it is possible to make, can be chosen.

Here Are Some Suggestions

MUFFLER	SUIT	COLLAR BAG
SUIT CASE	OVERCOAT	HOUSE COAT
HAT OR CAP	RAINCOAT	SUSPENDERS
TOILET SETS	BATH ROBE	Cuff Buttons
NIGHT ROBE	SHIRTS	UNDERWEAR
UMBRELLA	GLOVES	Handkerchiefs
SCARF PIN	HOSIERY	TIES, Etc., Etc.

Make your selections early, while the picking is the best. Better now than later.

You'll find our prices no barrier to choosing exactly what you'd like to give "Him."

E. W. HORNER

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128 N. Pittsburg Street, Connelville, Pa.

Christmas Gifts
at Union Supply Company Stores.

We want to call your attention to the great preparations that our stores are making to take care of your Christmas shopping. We have been, for several months, watching the markets and picking up novelties and our stores are over-loaded now with the finest selection of Christmas Toys, Games, and other suitable gifts for Children that you can find. They are going to be sold at ridiculously low prices. This class of goods we do not figure making money on; we keep them for the accommodation of our patrons. Watch the displays. Make your purchases early. We will hold them for delivery until a later date.

Preparations for Christmas dinners are already going on and you will find, as usual, our stores, especially the Meat Markets, Grocery, Produce, and Confectionery Departments, loaded with the choicest goods for the holidays that the market produces. If there is anything special you want that we have not got in stock we will take great pleasure in securing it for you.

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63 DEPARTMENT STORES
Located in Westmoreland, Fayette, Allegheny Co.'s.

DUNN'S CASH STORES.

129, 131 and 133 N. Pittsburg Street, CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

WEATHER FORECAST.
For Western Pennsylvania—Partly cloudy, probably local snows today and Thursday.

HOLIDAY HINTS

Read this column carefully, then revise your list. Men in particular will find these suggestions of much help in Christmas buying.

Let us assist you in selecting your gifts. Many who yet have presents to buy, have not done so because of their undecidedness as to what would please. A visit to our store will easily suggest something appropriate. Remember! the time till Christmas is now being counted in days and that early shopping is always the most pleasant and at the same time most satisfactory. The following are just a few that hint of many others:

Umbrellas

For men, women and children. Stylish new types, with gold, silver, natural and the new hardwood handles, in plain or elegantly mounted and carved effects in artistic designs. The material and workmanship of these are the best. Always appropriate as a gift, and shown here at all prices.

Linens

Fine imported satin damask, with napkins to match, all pure linen table sets, separate napkins, docket scarfs, lunch cloths, fine towels, doilies, and center pieces, here in line for Christmas in the very newest designs of the season.

Besides these we are showing fine dress linens, linens for art work and fancy and plain linens for towels, etc. Wouldn't you appreciate something of the kind?

Bissell's Sweepers

Save labor and keeps your carpets and rugs bright and new. An absolute household necessity; the best on the market and an acceptable gift. Here in different styles, finishes and prices.

Phoenix Mufflers

Fancy, close knit comfortable for the neck in good styles and all colors. Put up separately, in Christmas boxes at 50c

For Baby

Only room to suggest. How about one of those Kneadedown, Knit and Animal Robes, Illustrated quilts, knit or silk caps, kimono, booties, leggings, mittens, sweaters, silver spoons, beauty pins, etc.

Silk Scarfs

A new lot of these in silk and crepe in plain colors and beautiful designs and tints that are sure to please. They come in all sizes and prices. .50c up to \$4.00

Art Bags

Made of fancy art designs into various style bags suitable for laundry, collars, work bags, sewing outfit and annual scissors holders. Have you seen them?

Carpet Department

Surprise the folks at home with a new rugset, a new carpet, a pair of new window curtains or portieres. Such gifts as these are always "welcome" received. See and floor

Other Suggestions

Here are a few more which may solve the problem of buying gifts and which may suggest at others. Fine of all kinds, Men's, Women's and Children's Handkerchiefs, Bed Spreads, Kimono Patterns, Silk Dress Patterns, Kid Gloves, Men's Suspenders, Belt Pins, Scarf Pins, Cuff Links, Neck Chains and Drops, Hat Pins, Stick Pins, Jet Pins, Beauty Pins, Mesh Bags, Hand Bags, Shaving Sets, Smoking Sets, Desk Sets, Dresser Novelties, and hundreds of others equally as appropriate. You are invited to come and let us aid you in purchasing your gifts.

DUNN'S CASH STORES.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA.
129, 131 and 133 N. Pittsburg Street.

Christmas Toys

Our line of Christmas Toys is now open for your choosing. The line this year is larger and better than ever. They are all priced at popular prices, and everything to please the children may be found here, priced to suit your purse.

Dolls, Go-Carts, Animals, Automobiles, Drums, Friction Toys, Mechanical Toys, Railroad Trains, Street Cars, Horses, Dogs, Cats, Toy Dishes, Blackboards, Building Blocks, Games, Iron Toys, Magic Lanterns, Moving Picture Machines, Books and everything to please the children are here in endless array.

FINE CHINA

We have a \$1,700 stock of beautifully decorated French, German and Austrian China, which we are closing out during the holiday season at prices that are ridiculously low. All the profit and then some more has been chopped off, and now is the time to buy beautiful useful presents at prices which no dealer in China would dream of selling for. We have thousands of different articles and can only quote a few here. Come and see.

85 doz. Decorated China Plates, fine transparent china, with neat Haviland edge, decoration of small roses, both tea and dinner size. Each.	10c	15 doz. Salad Dishes, one of the most beautiful decorations ever on the market, swell crimped shape, each.	65c
75 doz. Cups and Saucers to match the above plates, English or Haviland shape cups. The cup and saucer.	10c	Creamers or Sugar Bowls, each.	10c
17 doz. American China Salad Dishes, very pretty decorations, each.	10c	11 doz. Large Salad Dishes, with pretty floral decorations, each.	20c
		Hundreds and hundreds of other articles in China just as low in price.	

Underwear—Reduced Prices

16 doz. Boys' and Misses' Fleece Lined Underwear, heavy, warm and durable, regular 25c garments, to go for.	19c	20 doz. Men's Heavy Gray Fleece Lined Underwear, all sizes, the best 50c garment on the market. Some slightly soiled. All to go for, the piece.	39c
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MILLINERY

REMEMBER!—We are closing out all our Millinery at half-price. Hats, Plumes, Fancy Feathers, Trimmings of all kinds at just half. This is your opportunity. Your loss if you neglect it.

SCHMITZ' New York Racket Store**For Christmas Gifts**

FOR BOYS AND GIRLS.
Nothing is going to please them so much as a pair of our High Top Shoes. They will be warm, keep the feet dry and are certainly the ideal footwear for winter. It makes a sensible purchase for you as a gift and one that goes right to the heart to the one that receives.

For Boys.—We have black and tan with one or two buckles, heavy soles and durable uppers, just the kind for the average boy nowadays.

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SUIT ANY MAN

We know it, because we have the styles and leathers to do it with. Shoes with the neat snappy round toe, and the "foot form" or wider toe—any toe shape that you want is here. You can select from the whole outfit of leathers—gun metal calf, box calf, vicci kid, patent or patent calf. You can have the heavy or lighter soles, high heels or regular heels—blucher, button or lace. In colors you can select from the different shades of tan or wine. Special attention is called to our Men's \$4.00 Shoes—extra good values. Remember shoes are always appreciated at Christmas time.

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NOT only by reason of the vastness and completeness of the stock, but on account of the quality of the makes and variety of the instruments shown. You may think it a little early to purchase a Christmas Piano, but our holiday stock is practically all in, and why wait until our store is filled with a throng of holiday shoppers? Pianos may be selected now and deliveries will be made when desired. In purchasing from our Uniontown Store you have the same advantages that you would have should you purchase from our Pittsburgh, Cleveland, Washington, D. C., or any of our other many stores. Below you will find mentioned some of the highest grades of pianos in the world, and to think that you can purchase one right here, without being obliged to go to one of the larger cities, should induce you to call at our store and look over our line of Pianos.

Chickering

These famous Chickering pianos have been made continuously since 1828. Over four score years of experience is exemplified in the Chickering of today. The name guarantees the highest quality of material and workmanship.

Estey

Estey pianos are made by one of the most distinguished concerns in the piano trade and their instruments rank among the highest.

This instrument has an almost incredible volume of tone, sonorous and musical combined with a seductive mellowness and sustaining quality.

W.F. Frederick

One of the most reliable and artistic pianos on the market. This instrument ranks with the best pianos and is at a price within the reach of all. Of great beauty and plenty of tone.

Marshall and Wendell

The Marshall & Wendell Piano is made in one of the most complete manufacturing plants in the piano trade. The construction of this instrument is strong and durable, and we can recommend this piano to those who want a piano of unquestioned wear-in quality at a modest price.

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Pianos have a reputation founded on the recorded judgment of the world's greatest artists and the combined opinion of the most eminent musical and scientific experts. These famous pianos occupy the highest place in the musical world for quality and volume of tone, subtlety of touch, mechanism, durability—in fact, everything requisite to the perfect piano.

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This celebrated piano-forte has been made since 1812. Is one of the truly great pianos of the age. The only instrument that improves with use. Noted for its full, deep tone and wonderful volume. Owned and endorsed by the World's Greatest Artists.

Strich and Zeidler

This superb piano has no superior in Depth, Fullness, Purity and Richness of Tone. The only piano from which a truly Grand Tone can be secured in an Upright Case. The Artist's Delight.

Price & Teeple

Price & Teeple pianos are distinguished for their musical tone, which combines power, sweetness, delicacy, and ringing quality. This action is flexible and responsive, the case design original and artistic, and the durability is unquestioned. We invite special attention to our stock of these instruments, which is unusually large and complete.

Brewster

It is statistically reported in the "Piano World" that the Brewster Piano is in more homes than any other make of piano on the market which demonstrates the durability of the piano, and we can safely say that it is almost impossible to supply the demand for this favored piano as every one we sell sells another for us.

Player-Pianos

In this department we take great pride inasmuch as we are able to offer the public the **GREATEST** line of **PLAYER-PIANOS** ever handled by one house, viz:

KNABE-ANGELUS **HARDMAN** Auto-Tone **CONOVER** Inner-Player
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Garments of the better kind at price reductions that will mean a saving of \$5, \$10 and \$15 to you.

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Ladies' Suits \$14.75

Made in the latest tailored models, for Ladies and Misses, of Broadcloth, Cheveron and Serge in Black and Colors. Coats 42 and 45 inches long; skirts in pleated styles. The best value ever shown for \$25 and \$22.50 and \$20. For this week's selling

\$14.75

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Made of the finest imported French Broadcloth and fine plain and fancy Woisteds, tailored by the most expert man tailors, lined with the best quality Skinner's satin and silk serge; some on strictly tailored lines; others of the more extreme models. For this week's selling

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\$35.00, \$32.50
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Ladies' coats \$19.80

Made of the best quality Broadcloth, Caricel and Serge, full 52 and 54 inches long, half and full lined, semi-fitting models with shawl and mannish collars; perfect garments in every way. For this week's selling

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\$35.00 and \$30.00 Black
American Fox Fur Sets

At \$23.50

They are made in throw scarf and shawl collar neckpieces, with large pillow or rug muffs. Just as rich looking and it will take an expert to distinguish them from the higher priced lynx. For this week's selling

\$23.50

\$85.00 and \$75.00 Mink
Fur Sets at

At \$65.00

Of the best quality Mink Fur, made in throw scarf or large collar, trimmed with genuine mink heads and tails; rug or pillow muffs, lined with broad-clothed heavy silk.

For this week's selling

\$65.00

\$5.00 and \$5.50
Boys' Suits

At \$3.90

Made of all wool fancy mixed cashmere in stripes and checks with straight or knickerbocker pants. In all sizes and a large variety of patterns. For this week's selling

\$3.90

\$6.50 and \$7.00
Boys' Suits

At \$4.90

Made of all wool fancy Cashmere materials. In all sizes, with straight or knickerbocker pants, colors are mostly gray, dark green and dark brown; some black. For this week's selling

\$4.90

\$8.00 and \$8.50
Boys' Suits

\$5.90

Made of Blue Serge fancy Mixed Cashmeres and Woisteds, all sizes, with straight or knickerbocker pants. For this week's selling

\$5.90

\$22.50 and \$20.00
Men's Suits

At \$14.50

Made of All Wool Materials in this season's newest shades and models, and combining just the right styles with an excellent quality of materials. For this week's selling

\$14.50

\$26.50 and \$25.00
Men's Suits

At \$16.50

Made of fine all wool Woisteds, Cashmeres, Serge and Tibbets, productions of the best tailors and designers of Men's clothes. For this week's selling

\$16.50

\$35.00, \$32.50
and \$30.00

Ladies' Suits \$19.80

Made of fine French Serge and Broadcloth, some neatly trimmed, others plain tailored styles, Coats 42 and 45 inches long; skirts made with folds and pleats; a full range of colors. For this week's selling

\$19.80

\$25.00, \$22.50
and \$20.00

Ladies' Coats \$14.75

Such coats will not be seen again at such little prices. Made of Gray, Cheveron and Black Broadcloth, full length models, lined throughout with a guaranteed satin, some plain tailored, others with pleats on sides. For this week's selling

\$14.75

\$50.00 and \$60.00 Ladies'
Black Pony Coats

At \$40.00

Made of the best quality Russian Pony Fur, three-quarter lengths, lined with the best Skinner's satin, made with shawl collars; and they'll make a most suitable Christmas gift.

For this week's selling
\$40.00

\$50.00 and \$45.00 Black Lynx
Fur Sets at

\$38.50

Beautiful Black Lynx Fur that has all the appearance of \$75.00 and \$100.00 sets, in throw scarf or short collar piece trimmed with heads and tails; large pillow or rug muffs, lined with rich broad-clothed silk; a large assortment to select from.

For this week's selling

\$38.50**Ladies' Trimmed Hats**

Tumble to Half and Less Than Half Their
Actual Value. We Offer You a

Choice of Any
\$25.00, \$22.50 and \$20.00 Pattern Hats in
Our Millinery Department at

At \$10.00

\$27.50 and \$30.00
Men's Suits

At \$18.50

Made of Imported All Wool Materials, the pick of this season's colorings and styles. Suits that are the equal of tailor-made garments. They embody every detail of the tailor's art. For this week's selling

\$18.50

\$16.50 and \$18.00
Men's Overcoats

At \$10.50

Made of Irish Freize, Melton and Velour, in black, gray and different shades of fancy mixed materials. For this week's selling

\$10.50

\$20.00 and \$28.50
Men's Overcoats

At \$14.50

Made of Melton, Keweenaw Velour and Irish Freize in black and all this season's wanted colors. In full length and three quarter lengths. For this week's selling

\$14.50

\$5.00 and \$5.50
Boys' Overcoats

At \$3.90

Made of fancy mixed and plain Covert cloth, reefer and full length styles light and dark colors; in all sizes. For this week's selling

\$3.90

\$6.50 and \$7.00
Boys' Overcoats

At \$4.90

Made of all wool fancy Cashmeres, fine Blue Serge and Covert cloth, reefer or full length styles. In gray, tan and other dark shades. For this week's selling

\$4.90

MACE & CO.,

**West Penn Company's Light Con-
tract Will Soon Expire, and is Be-
ing Discussed—Vicious Dog At-
tacks Justice Hubbs.**

Mr. and Mrs. William Dull of Cambridge were here Sunday the guests of Mrs. and Mrs. Louis Hensch.

White Elephant flour, something new. Just try a sack. Money back not satisfied. 1.50 large sack, at Eu End Grocery, and Hixon & Lytle, We Side.

**Prices Unmercifully Cut for Quick Disposal. Positively
Nothing Reserved. Every Article Must Be Sold Re-
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er Tea Sets.**

140 W. Main St. All Cars Stop Here. Opp. West Penn Station.

The Riverman

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"Never mind. It's for Bobby," said he to himself. "And maybe the rate of interest will go down, and I'll be able to borrow on the California tract if anything does go wrong."

He stepped across the hall into Taylor's office.

"Frank," began Orde immediately, "I came to see you about that California timber matter. Now, what I want is this"—he proceeded to outline carefully the agreement between himself and Newman, while the lawyer took notes and occasionally interjected a question.

"All right," said the latter when the details had been mastered. "I'll draw the necessary notes and papers."

"Now," went on Orde, producing the bundle of papers from his pocket. "Here's the abstract of title. I wish you'd look it over. It's a long one, but not complicated, as near as I can make out. Tracy seems to have acquired this tract mostly from the original homesteaders and the like, who, of course, take title direct from the government. I want you to look it over, to be sure everything's ship-shape."

"One other thing," concluded Orde. "I want this investment to get no farther than the office door. You see, this is for Bobby, and nothing spoils a man sooner than to realize the thing's all out and dried for him, and nothing keeps him going like the thought that he's got to rustle his own opportunities. Bobby's going to have the best education possible. His 'Elio does Orde & Son sound to you?'"

He was a lumberman by practical experience, and that practical experience he'll get with other people. No working for his dad in Bobby's, I can tell you. Then, when he's worked into the harness a little, the old man will take him out and show him the big sugar pine and say to him: 'There, my boy, there's your opportunity, and

By Stewart Edward White



Chapter 29

NEWARK marched precisely down the street to Holzman's office. He found the little German in Newark demanded a private interview and without preliminary plunged into the business that had brought him.

"Holzman," said he abruptly, "my partner wants to raise \$75,000 for his personal use. I have agreed to get him that money from the firm."

"Proceed," said Holzman guardedly.

"As security in case he cannot pay the notes the firm will have to give me his undivided one-half interest in our enterprise."

"Well? You want to borrow dot money of me?" asked Holzman. "I could not raise it."

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Holzman hardly seemed to breathe, but red blazed in his eye.

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"What for?" asked Holzman.

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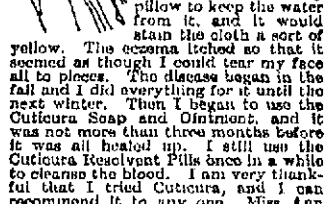
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Viewers Named.

UNIONTOWN, Dec. 14.—In the case of the Monongahela Railroad against Katy Ann Miller, the court Monday appointed William Thompson, George L. Moore, C. J. McCormick, Thomas B. Shuman, Jesse Frost, L. C. Waggoner and B. C. Strickler as viewers.

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For WASHINGTON, BALTIMORE, PHILADELPHIA, NEW YORK, BOSTON and all points East—Express daily, 6:55 A. M., 3:00, 7:15 and 11:45 P. M.

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"Little Miss Robinson Crusoe" is the play selected to hold the boards at the Soisson theatre tonight. This piece brings as a feature attraction Miss Eva Sargent in the title role as it is said to be the best role she appears in during the week's engagement. It is also announced that a beautiful Christmas gift will be tendered to every lady attending the performance something of a culture to make the occasion well remembered. Mrs. Helen Forrest Russell is winning scores of admirers by her clever interpretation of the subplots parts. Albert S. Voss the leading man is undoubtedly one of the best repertory stars that has appeared in this city. Tomorrow night a melodrama of many scenes will be played entitled "The Man From Sacramento." The following list of plays will finish the week's engagement, "The Prisoner of An derdonville," "The Girl Slave" and "Dan Rennie, the Great Detective." A matinee will be given on Saturday with every seat reserved for 10 and 20 cents.

"Three Twins."

"Three Twins" will be the offering at the Soisson theatre on Wednesday night, Dec. 22, when Joseph M. Gates will offer his famous musical comedy which set New York talking for the last ten months. There must be some to an attraction that can play as long as "Three Twins" besides play-

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Busy Term of Criminal Court Held in Somerset County.

Special to The Courier.
SOMERSET, Pa., Dec. 15.—In criminal court, which convened last Monday, the following routine business has been transacted:

In the case of John Strizak, a banker and vice-consul formerly located at Windber but now a resident of Exports, Cambria county, a charge of embezzlement preferred by Nick Weisniski of Windber, the court ordered the jury to acquit the defendant, but the costs were placed on Strizak. Weisniski alleged that he placed about \$1,000 in Strizak's hands to be sent to Italy and that the money was never sent.

J. Wilson Brant of Berlin was convicted on a charge of larceny preferred by Charles Engelfin, the offense consisting in chicken stealing.

John Shaffer of Little was found guilty on a charge of malicious mischief, the prosecutor, E. F. Ludwig, alleging that Shaffer threw a beer bottle at a B. & O. train.

Lewis Middleman of Windber was acquitted on a charge of malicious mischief preferred by Mike Smutko, who alleged that Middleman threw Smutko's son over a stone wall into a creek. Three-fifths of the costs were placed on Smutko and the balance on Middleman.

Charles Kregar of Little was acquitted on a charge of malicious mischief in which Frank K. Price was prosecutor, and the costs were placed on Price. Kregar, a merchant, broke open a gate which had been nailed shut by Price. Price is in the employ of the Somerset Coal Company and the gate led to a number of min-

ers' houses where Kregar delivered goods.

The jury returned verdicts of guilty in three cases from Stoyestown involving a family quarrel. The charge in each case was assault and threats, John Ling being the prosecutor and the defendants being Josiah, Jennie and Chalmers J. Ling. The defendants were released on probation.

Mrs. Anna March, a Windber woman, was found guilty of malicious mischief on a charge preferred by Mike Klimak and was released on probation. Mrs. March cut a horse owned by the prosecutor with a hatchet, causing the animal's death.

Henry Durs of Boswell was charged in four cases with larceny and receiving stolen property, the cases arising from wholesale raids on chicken coops during the last few months. Durs was found guilty of receiving stolen property in the four cases. The prosecutors were Aaron A. Walker, Jerome Deeds, David Gindelsperger and Ed Afrisman.

The following cases were settled: Scott Leydig, gambling, Ed. Featherman, prosecutor; E. A. Head, aggravated assault and battery, James Taylor, prosecutor; Annie Smith, assault and battery, Sarah Holshu, prosecutor; William Schrock, larceny, Wilson Christner, prosecutor; Phil Holshup, aggravated assault and battery, Nick Lowery, prosecutor; John A. Berkeley, l. and b., Freda Ensh, prosecutor; Hiram P. Walker, l. and b., Grace Yutsey, prosecutor.

William Fresuhn pleaded guilty to a charge of l. and b. preferred by Maggie Shaffer.

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